GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA

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EIGHT NEW TIGER RESERVES
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Union Government has approved the take over of eight new forest areas under its flagship programme Project Tiger in the country;

(b) if so, the details of the areas so identified State-wise; and

(c) the total cost estimated for this purpose during the Eleventh Five Year Plan period?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI S. REGUPATHY)

(a)&(b) Yes Sir.The details are at Annexure-I.

(c) An allocation of Rs. 32.00 crores has been estimated for tiger conservation in new Tiger Reserve areas during the XIth Five Year Plan period.